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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1891.

Established February,

Business Notices. Intimations.

Hongkong Races!!

CLOTHS, STIRRUP WEBS, BRIDLES, SPURS CLOTHS, GIRTHS, &c., &c.

WHIPS, JOCKEY

RACING COLOURS, RACING SCARFS and FAVOURS.

NEW FELT HATS. RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS and RACING TOPS.

HARNESS, DRIVING WHIPS, CARRIAGE, RUGS, DRIVING GLOVES.

Hongkong, February 10, 1891.

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

IN BIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and siry positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within ave minutes' walk of the principal Government Officer (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now over of the principal Herers in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Forvice of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and SHORING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

intinental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

TAILORS, GENERAL OUTFITTERS, &c.

(OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOPEL).

OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is NOW COMPLETE in all the NEWEST MATERIALS, comprising :- A Large Variety of DRESS SUITING from \$30. upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SILK, LISLE

THREAD and CASHMERE SOCKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c., &c.

W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 14, 1891.

Intimations.

ROUYER, GUILLET & CIE., made an Order limiting to the 1sr DAY or MARCH, 1891, the time for sending in COGNAC, France. All Creditors are hereby required to send

> For Ten Years THE LARGEST SHIPPERS

> BULK BRANDY.

Visitors, with every comfort, convenience

The CUISINE is under the best super-

WINE, &c., -the best Brand and FINEST

TERMS MODERATE.

TELEPHONE No. 29.

Hongkong, February 13, 1891.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Second Ordinary Augual

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS

in the above Company will be held at the

elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 21st Instant to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company,

Limited.

General Managers,

the 7th Proximo, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, February 13, 1891. -

PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

Proprietors.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

COMMUNICATIONS DIREUT LONDON BRANCH, ROUYER, GUILLET & Co., 27th day of February, at 12.35 o'Clook in

bouring islands.

Winter.

and attention.

the Afternoon, for the purpose of Passing the following Resolution that is to say :-59, Mark Lane, London, E.C. 14th August, 1890. PEAK HOTEL. VICTORIA GAP, PEAK,

hereby appointed I juidators, for the ADJOINING THE TRAMWAY TERMINUS. purposes of such winding up. Dated Hongkong, 11th February, 1891.

By Order of the Board, CHAS. F. HARTON, Secretary.

OF OHINA, JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS held in London, on 12th February, 1891, it was vision and every luxury obtainable is supdecided to INCREASE the CAPITAL of plied. the Company by £1,000,000 Stg., in 100,000 Shares of £10 each, to be issued at a pre- Qualities only are kept. mium of £1.5/- per Share.

Hon. J. J. KESWICE. L. POESNECHER, Esq. the Register on the 9TH MARCH, 1891, will D. R. Sassoon, Esq. be entitled to apply for and receive ONE New Share, for every original share held. this Office on o. fore 23nd March, 1891. £1.5.0 per Sl. only will be called up at present, plus the premium of £1.5/0 per share, payable thus :-

> 10/0 on application (including 5/0 prem.) allotment 1/ 15/0 n { 1 April/91 } (,, 7/6 25/0 ... 30 June, 1891, (,, 12/6 ,,

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from 10th to 19th March. At the above named General Meeting on SATURDAY, the 7th Proximo, at 1891, both days inclusive.

These Alterations require to be Confirmed at another Meeting of Shareholders to be held in LONDON on 2ND MARCH next. DE WESTLEY LAYION, becretary.

Hongkong, February 19, 1891.

Intimations.

A having now been Received, ISSUE can be made. Requisitions must be moderate. No Orders will be granted on SATURDAY, or on the Last Day of the

It is requested that CHEQUES or MONEY. may not be sent to the TREASURY with applications for Orders. Orders not eashed within a week from date of issue are cancelled.

N. G. MITCHELL-INNES,

Hongkong, 17th February, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Victoria, the mainland of China and neigh- hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily. Westerly direction from the Batteries. Cool Southerly breezes in Summer with · All Sairs, Junes and other Vesseis are perfect protection from the N. E. Winds of CAUTIONED to kept clear of the Range. There is excellent Accommodation for

> HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

> dinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February current, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890. -By Order of the Court of Directors,

F. Dr BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 5, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING

NYOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 14th, to SATURDAY, the 28th day of February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors.

F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hougkong, February & 1891.

Intimations.

BONGKONG JOCKEY OLUB. RACE MEETING, 1891.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURthe 9th 20th and 2. M. Bebruary.

DULE 15 .- Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure. For Members of the Jockey Club, Free ; for Nou-Members, \$5 for the Meeting. For Admission to Now Grand Stand, \$3 for the Meeting. RULE 16 .- Tickets of Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on up lication to E. W. RUTTER. Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be shewn to the Gate-E. H. GURE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong February 12, 1891.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 12, 1891.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of the Ladies at the Grand Stand and Enclosure during the Races on the 19th, 20th, and 21st instant. E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the wourse.

Hongkong, February 12, 1891.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of Accounts to 31st December, 1894. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES. Secretary.

Hongkong, February 2, 1891. THE HONGKONG ATHLETIC CLUB.

HE First MEETING of the HONG- 335 KONG ATHLETIC OLUB will take place on the Race Course by kind per- GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY mission of the STEWARDS of the JOOKEY. CLUB), on SITURDAY, 28th February, commencing at 1 o'Clock p.m. precisely, when the following Events will be contested. 1.—120 Yands FLAT RACE. (Handicap). 2.-PUTTING THE SHOT. 3.-Long Jump.

4 .- 220 Yands FLAT RACE (Handicap). 5. -- BICYCLE RACE -- Half-Mile. (Handi-

6,-Half-Mile Flat Race. (Open to Soldiers and Police). 7. HURDIE RACE - 120 Yards - 10 Flights. 8 .- HALF-MILE FLAT RACE (Haudicap). Ladius' Purse. 9.—HIGH JUMP.

10 .- BICYLE RACE One Mile. (Handicap). 11.-100 YARDS CHALLENGE CUP. 12.—Highland Fling. (Open to Soldiers and Police).

13 .- THROWING THE CHICKET BALL 14.—MILE CHALLENGE CUP. 15 .- VETERANS' RACE. (Compositors must

be over 35 years of ageand of not less than 10 years Residence in the East). 16 .- Tug-or-W AR. (Open to all Toams). 17.—QUARTER MILE OLALLENGE CUP. 18. -STREPH CHASE - Half-Mile.

19,-Consciation Race-120 Yards. Competitors in Events Nos. 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16 not being Members of the Club to pay an Entiance Fee of \$1 for each Event. The above Events, with the exception of

Nos. 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16, am Open only to those Gentlemen Amateurs who are Members of the Hongkong Athletic Club. Entry Forms can be obtained from Mesers | 279 LANE, CRAVFORD & Co., Messrs KELLY & WALSH LD, and the Undersigned. ENTRIES CLOSE on 20th Instant.

W. H. YOUNG. Hon. Sec. H.K.A.C.

Hongkong, February 7, 1891.

HE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HE Tuenty-Second Ordinary MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 2, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on FRIDAY, the 27th February instant, at Half-past I'wo o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Roport of the Directors for the ending 31st Decem-

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 3, 1891.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COM-PANY, LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS

1 of SHARES in the above Company, on which the SECOND CALL of (82) Two Dollars per Share, due 1st November, 1890, is still Unpaid, that nuless the said Call, with INTEREST at the Rate of 12 PER CENT. per Annua from the due date, be PAID on or before the 28th DAY OF FLHEUARY, 1891, at the Company's Officer, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such Call Remains Unpaid on the aforesaid date will be hable to be FORFEITED, and under the Provisions of Article X Subsection VIII of the Articles of Association; the Board will pass the necessary Resolutions for the Forfoiture of the said Shares. By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 7, 1891.

Intimations.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that 'on and offer SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, until further Notice, the WATER SUPPLY throughout the City with the exception of Praya Central, Praya West, and Queen's Road East as far as Spring Gardens, will be Cur ory hetwoon the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. each day. By Command.

Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Hongkong, 18th February, 1891. THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that in pursu In ancouf a Requisition duly made in NO SERVANTS will be allowed inside | writing under the Article 8 of the Company's the emlosure of the Race Course Articles of Association mon the Undersign during Race days without tickets, which ed General Managera, the Undersigned do can be had on application from the Under- hereby convene an EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS at the Offices of the Company, No. 6 Ice House Lane, for FRIDAY, the 27th February, 1891, at 0.15 p.m., when the following Resolution will be submitted;

> "That the Company be wound up volun-tarily, under the Possisions of the Companies' Ordinances 1865-1890, and that O. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong, be, and they ard hereby, appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up."

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 18, 1891.

THE LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-SHAREHOLDERS will be held in ORDINARY General MEETING of the Offices of the Company, No. 14 Praya, the LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY Central, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Messra. Gibn, Livingston & Co., No. 6 Report of the Directors, and Statement of Ico House Lane, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, at 12.25 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for purpose of Passing the following Resolution that is to say : -

"That the Company be wound up roluntarily under the Provisions of the Companies' Ordinances 1805-1800, and that O. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong be, and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up. Dated 18th February, 1891.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers.

LIMITED. NIOTICE is hereby given that the Ordin-

ary Annual MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS will take place at the OFFICES of the Undersigned, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, 1891, at 4 o'Clock, to receive the Report and Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st of December, 1890. The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th day of February, both days inclusive.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 13, 1891.

SOCIÉTE FRANÇAISE DES HOUIL-LERES DE TOURANE.

N EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held on. CHURSDAY, 5th March, 1891, at Hat- carried. PHONG, Rue de la Dousne, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors on the working of the Company, and passing a Resolution modifying the present System of

SHAREHOLDERS holding 20 SHARES or more who wish to be represented at the above Meeting can Sign Powers of Ar-TORNEY at the Offices of the Undersigned. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Shipping.

Steamers.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The Co.'s Steamship General Werder. Capinin M. Eighth, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 22ud of February. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co... Hongkong, February 16, 1891.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship Neckur, Captain H. SUPMER, will leave for the above

place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward Gorman Mail For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hopgkong, February 16, 1801. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Capt. Swinneston, will skil ou the 23rd Instant. For Freight, amply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Houghong, February 18, 1891.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping. Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOQ.

The Co.'s Stownship Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 20th Instant, at

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, February 17, 1891. . 328

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA. SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Verona, Captain F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on FRI-

DAY, the 20th Instant, at Noou. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, February 12, 1891. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN. HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM, JEDDA, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE

AND FIUME. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAIr-OUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIO PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship Pandora. Captain G. METTEL, will be despatched as above on the 20th Instant, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after

3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, February 10, 1891. STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Steamship Nanzing. Captain Hood, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at Noon. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 18, 1691. OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship

Taiywan, R. NELSON, Commander, will be despatched as 297 above on MONDAY, the 23rd Instant, at

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the aupply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, February 18, 1891. 299

CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship Ninichow. H. L. ALLEN, Commdr., will be despatched as above on or about the 26th Instant. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, February 11, 1891.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

The Steamship Denbighshire. Captain Genve, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 28th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 17, 1891 332

Sailing Vessels.

The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship Sterling,
Goodwin, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship Imperial,
CROSBY, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Houghong, January 31, 1891.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Combill. GORSON & Goren, Ludyate Circui, E.C. BATES

SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. Wills, 151, RACE OUPS. Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 160, Fleet Street.

HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, K.C.

PARIS AND EUROPE: -- AMEDEE PRINCE, 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK :- J. : TEWART HAPPER, THE OHINESE EVANORUST OFFICE, 52, West

22d Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAR & BLACK, San Fron-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

ZEALAND :- GORDON & Goron, Mel bourns and Sydney. OEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHEGARIES Co., Colombo.

Co., Square, Singapore. O. HRINSZEN & Co., Manila. OHINA :- Musuo, A. A. DA ORUZ. Amoy, N. MOALLE. Foothore, HEDGE & Co. For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation, Shangledi, LANE, CHAWFORD & Co., and Knur & Walsh. Yokohama. LANE, UNIWFORD & Co., and KELLY

Banks. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000.

West End Office ... 25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives Money on Deposit,

LONDON:

Head Office40, Throadneodle Street

Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Ko Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to had on application. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:

Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent, per Annum

Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange,

UN CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, September 4, 1890.

NOTICE. TOULES OF THE HONGRONG Instant, is POSTPONED until further. SAVINGS BANK.

premisos in Hongkong. Hawness hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 depositor may deposit more than \$2,000

1.-The business of the above Benk will

be conducted by the Hungkong and

Shanghar Banking Corporation, on their

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having their untion transfer the sime to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest.

in any one year.

4. -Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. 5,- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pasa-Books but should send them to be

the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6 .- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the

depositor or his duly appointed agent,

written up at least twice a year, about

and the production of his Pass-Book are neocesary. For the HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPOBATION, F. DE BOVIS,

Acting Ohief Manager.

HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING | 278 CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL,\$8,168,062.50

Hongkong, January 1, 1891.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. L. DALRYNPLE, Esq. Deputy Chairman - J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | ALEX. McConacuie, W. H. Forbra, Esq. C. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq. | S. C. MICHAELSEN,

H. Hoppius, Esq.

ACTING CHIEF MANAGER, Hongkong,.....F. DE Bovis, Esq. MANAGER. Sharghai, Jour Walter, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Ourrent Daposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per sninum on the dally On Fixed Deposits -For S months, 2 per cont. per annum.

n 6 n 4 per cent. in Tu 5 per ceut. " "-LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredats granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

F. DE BOVIS, Acting Clief Manager. Hongkong, February 6, 1891.

Business at Noon TO-MORROW and SATURDAY, the 20th and 21st Instant.

HONGKONG RACES

U. per English Mail, a HANDSOME

ASSORTMENT OF LONDON-MADE SILVER

BANK HOLIDAYS.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be

CLOSED for the Transaction of Public

Hongkong, February 17, 1891.

FALCONER & Co. have Received,

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, J. THORBURN, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

tralia and China. T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c .: - SATTE & For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation," F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager.

> Limited. E. W. RUTTER. Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, L. GLENAT,

Acting Agent, Hougkong. Hongkong, February 19, 1891. CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION. No. 37.

NT OTICE is heroby given that on the 19TH, 20th and 21st Instant, they being RACE DAYS, the OFFICE will be Opened at 9 a.m., and Closed at Noon, but work at the Opium Examination Hulk, and the Customs' Stations will proceed as usual. J. MoLEAVY BROWN,

Commissioner of Customs,

for Kowloon and District, STOM HOUSE. n, 13th February, 1891. HONGKONG RACE MEETING-1891.

INFFIN will be Served in the HONG-

ROOM ON THE COURSE, after the Third

Race, TO-MORROW and SATURDAY

of the Meeting.

KONG HOTEL Co.'s TIFFIN

TERMS CASH. R. TUCKER, Manager.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

INTHE COMPETITON advertised to be

Hongkong, February 19, 1891.

held on SATURDAY NEXT, the 21st C. VIVIAN LADDS, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 17, 1891.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG.

at one time will not be received. No In the Matter of the Estate , the late ALFRED LISTER, Deceased. TOTICE is hereby given that the Honour-\$100 or more at their credit may at | able the Chief Justice having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870,

> in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated 28th January, 1891. BRUCE SHEPHERD,

> > Executor:

CLAIMS against the said Estate,

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY General MEETING of THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COM-PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of Mesers. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., No. 6, Ice House Lane, on FRIDAY, the

That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Companies Ordinances 1865, 1890, and that U. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong be and they are

THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY NTOTICE is hereby given that at a General

SHAREHOLDERS whose Names appear on Applications for same must be sent in to

Noon, to receive a Statement of Acof Shareholders a Resolution was passed changing the name of the Company to counts to the 31st December, 1890, the THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND Report of the General Managers, and to THE STRAITS, LIMITED, and cancelling Articles 56 and 59 of the Memorandum

TREASURY NOTICE. SUPPLY of FIFTY-CENT PIECE

TNFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that THE most beautiful position in the on- ARTHLERY PRACTICE will take place virons of Hongkong, situated 1,250 from the Batteries at Stone-cutters' Island, feet above Sea-level, commanding Magni- from the 27TH INSTANT to 20TH FEBRUARY ficent Views of the City and Harbour of NEXT, both days inclusive, between the The Line of Fire will be in a South-

> By Command, F. FLEMING, Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 24th January, 1891.

NOTICE is bereby given that the Or-

CORPORATION.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

RUSSELL & Co.

II TERRACE,

Aucade, Queen's Rond,

Apply to

TO LET.

GODOWNS in DUDDELL STREET.

TU LET.

TOS. 9 & 11, SEYMOUR TERRADE.

ROOMS in College CHAMBERS.

Hougkong, February 17, 4891

No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.

Hongkong, February 2, 1891

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DECASTURES. February 19 :--Sochow, for Taiwanfoo. Fushin, for Shanglini. Fullenburg, for Salgon. Clara, for Haiphong. Strathieren, for Shaughni. Phra Nung for Swatow. Keng Bong, for Bangkok. Cheang Hye Teny, for Amoy. Peshawur, for Europe.

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PASSENGERS ABRIVED. None.

DEPARTED. Per Fushun, for Shanghai, 50 Chinese. Per Falkenburg, for Saigon, 20 Chinese. Per Clara, for Haiphong, 10 Chinese.

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Per Verona, at 11.30 a.m., ou Friday, the 20th inst. For KUDAT & SANDAKAN .-Per Memnon, at 9,30 a.m., on Saturday,

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For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY 18. LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL. LE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MEL-BOURNE. Per Taiyuan, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday,

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0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspoudence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 7 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

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(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are fied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.—Registry osaces.

10.30 A.M.—Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 a.M. - Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 7 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

Zer Pear Delivery. Lotters, &c., will e delivered by the 12 and 4 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of departure. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to Cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped across them. Covers containing Bank Notes, &c., should be registered.

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to 12 and 4 p'olock. Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of latters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery &c. should be registered.

There will be no Sunday delivery. General Memoranda. SATURDAY, February 21

Noon,-Local Banks close. Hongkong Races. Transfer Books of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 7th Proximo, inclusive. 9 p.m.-Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association 9 p.m. -Performance of The Gondo-

MONDAY, February 23: Noon, -Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld., at No. 14 Praya, Central. 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. TUESDAY, February 24:

liers.

Goods per Strathleten undelivered after. this date subject to root. HUBSDAY, February 26 :--2 p. m. - Austicu of Household Furniture. &c., at the Residence of Capt. Jackson, No. 4, West Terrace.

The Songei Koyah Planting Co. Ltd. at Company's Offices. 12.25 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Lamag Planting Co., Ltd., at the Offices of Mesars Gibb, Lavingston & Co.

12.35 p.m. - Extraordinary Meeting of The East Borneo Planting Co., Ltd., at No. 6, Ice House Lane. 2.30 p.m .- Mesting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at

No. 2, Queen's Road Central. 4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Green Island Coment Co., Ltd., at the General Managers' Offices. SATURDAY, February 28:---

Noon. -- Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkoug & Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall. 1 p.m. -Sports of H.K. Athletic Club on the Race Course SATURDAY, March 6:-

Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkon, Fire Insprance Co., Ltd., at ... the Company's Offices, Pedder's Street.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORIGW Shipping.

Daylight .- Formosa leaves for S'tow, &c. Noon .- Verona leaves for Japan. Nuon. Pu dora leaves for-Triesto, &c. Wiscellaneous. 9 a.m .- Artiflety Practice at Stone-cut-

ter's Island. Noon. - Local Banks close. Hongkong Races.

WINES AND SPIRITS:



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TELEGRAMS

SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL.

(Via Southern Line) THE IRISH QUESTION. LONDON, 17th February, 1891.

Mr John Morley, supported by Mr Gladstone, proposed a vote of censure on the Government for its administration Ireland. The debate is proceeding.

LOCALAND GENERAL.

PASSED SURZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Collington, Jan. 9 Mampshire Benlarig, 2 Daphne, Innishowen Head, 30; Glerfelloch, Oopack, Telemachus, Feb. 3; Bellona, Brand Angers, 6 : Dardanus, Amar, Berniele,

pere on Monday, the 16th Feb., and ought to offer to women a special vote of may be expected here on or about thanks in December for making themselves Mr A. W. Maitland's Gallast (Mr Mac-Saturday, the 21st Feb.

Hongkony on Dec. 18.

The Canadian Pacific s. s. Abysania, from Vaucouver, left Yokohams for Hongkong via jerts on Feb. 18th. The Austro-Hong. L. S. N. Co.'s steamship

Pandora, from Tricate, left Manila for this port on Feb. 18th, and may be expected here on or about the 21st The P. and O. Co.'s steamship Nizam left

Singapore on February 16, at 5 p.m., and may to ex, ected here on or about the 24th leb.

or about Fob. 24. The s.s. Kutsang, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 17th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 24th leb.

Loudon House, and bought direct from the WE learn that the Agents of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha (Messrs Geo. R. Stevens& to supply the best growths at moderate Co.) have received a telegram from the Head Office at Tokio to the effect that the

> MESSES Arnhold, Karberg & Co. informus that the China Shippers Mainal Company's steamer Hamphire, from London and Liverpool, left Singspore for this port yesterday, Esq. and may be expected here on or about 25th

1.10 THE M. M. Co.'s s. s. Salerie, with the under very favourable circumstances. A French Mail of 23rd ultime, left Singapore elight chower in the forencen just sufficed 1. 14 1.25 to-day, the 19th, at 10 s.m., and may to soften the course a little, which before be expected here on or about Thursday, the | was somewhat too hard. The temperature 1.50 26th inst. This Packet brings replies to was not high, but was not uncomfortably letters despatched from Hongkong ou 18th 0.60 December.

> We are requested by the Hon. Secretary of 1.00 the Athletic Club to remind intending com- however, was greater. The turn-out of Europetitors at the forthcoming Sports that no peans and Chinese was not quiteso large as in 1.00 entries can be received after Saturday; list Inst. We are pleased to learn that Lady 1.10 Des Vœux has graciously consented to distribute the prizes to the successful competi-

THE prisoner Choi Yat, who is accused of incendiarism within the jurisdiction of the Emperor of thina, and for whose readition the Chinese Government has applied, 4.50 5.00 was committed to prison to-day to await 7.50 the orders of the Governor. Only one witness was brought for the defence, who Case. Per Bot. stated that he had seen the prisoner off and on during last year in Hongkong.

Tun Mainichistates that the manager of a 14 1.25 London Bank while watching the accountant of the Lordon branch of the Yokohama 1.50 Specie Bank ming his abant, wasastonthat the rapidity of his calculations and tried the experiment of setting an English Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 accountant to contend with a Japanese worker of the wroban; the figures to be added up being mad out to the two. There-8 0.75 sult was that while the foreigner was doing one page of figures the Japanese completed four and a half. The manager Chief Inspector Cradock, and Inspectors of the Eank issaid to have been so strock 0.75 with this fact that he decided to send his vounger brother to Japan to study the wetem, and this decision being made known 0.75 to others, four youths determined to accompany the manager's brother. Commenting on the above, the Japan Gantte mays :- About the rapidity of the sorden 1.00 calculations as compared with those which necessitate writing down the figures, we have no doubt. The rest of the tale sounds 1.10 incredible; ande the use of the abique might be learnt in a couple of days by any sharp accountant in England. Rapidity is 0.75 the result of practice; of course.

> Appraon's presperous foundling who ordered at the secondband picturedealer's 'a com. followed by Unicorn. There was a good plete set of angestors is a typical personage race up the Straight, but Opposition won who appears to be very well known in the easily by about two lengths. Time, 60 sec. United States in these days. Mr J. D. Champlin tells us that the increasing demand for pedigrees and heraldic insignia 4.50 0.40 has led to a sew industry, and there is now scarcely an American city which does not 4.50 0.40 boast its college of hersidry. The sole difference between these institutions and the one presided over by the Earl Manhal of England isthat they are strictly private institutions. This, however, is an advantage, Mr. John Peel's Merry Xmas (Mr. Hough) for with thethoroughness characteristic of individual enterprise, the American colleges Mr Ten Broeck's Wild Mint (Mr Green) never fail to provide unbroken lines of progenitors, while their escutcheons viswed from the mathetic standpoint are described as far supedor to those devised by Garter, Clarencieux or Norroy.' Moreover, they are fully prepared to connect wealthy American families with families in England of assured position andrank, or to make to order an entirely newline of forefathers of the most approved pattern, with mitable arms, including, if they are ordered, a motto, supporters, andany kind of econet.

AN America editor has been collecting the opinions of well-known people on dress, him were Duncraggan and Autocrat close ther then drew up and Vagrant took the Dr Lucy M. Hale, who has been resident together. The two latter came up the load, winning easily. Before the finish physician at Vassar, and who is a contri- Straight in fine style, passed Merry Xmas | Muster took the second place from Maclean, butor to scientific periodicals, protests and made a capital finish, Duncraggan winagainst the high fur collars that are worn. | ning by half a length, to the surprise of She declares that they not only render the everybody. -Time, 2.08. throat susceptible to cold, but make the neck scrawny. Miss Olive Harper objects The Hongkong Derny, sweepstake of \$20 griffing of this season, 1890.91, only to the custom of the New York girls promenading in their riding-habits. She thinks they make speciacles of themselves. Dr Louisa Bryson says that Frenchwemen are delichoophakous, and English wemen brachycepholous, and thatthere characteristics are not sufficiently studied in their dress. Shedeclares that American wemen are developing some Indian qualities of physique, high cheek bones among therest, Mr John Peel's Ardent (Mr Master) 10st. and that b mets should be chosen with a due regard to this circumstance, Mrs Mr Buxey's Royalty (Mr Pond) 10st. Connor, a buy newspeper woman, stopped Naples, 16 Jason, Teuch, Colonist, 23; her pen to somadvert upon the length of Mr Burey's Reciprocation (Mr Reynell) street dresse. She hates to see ten isones of velvet trilling over the dirty streets. Mr Joe's Flight (Mr Machado) 10st, 10lbs. But on being asked if she would wear a Mr Ess' Starlight (Mr Humphreys) 10st. skirt to reach to the knee she said she would not, for the small boys would hoot. She Mr John Peel's Merry Thought (Mr BOMEWARD Bound :- Yorkshire, Jan. 28; would be glad to hear of Mrs. Charles Hancock'esuccessful imposation. Dr Claun- Mr Burey's Crown Diamond (Mr Samp-Iphigenia, 6; Glengyle, cutlej, Yangist, coy M. Dipow asserted his belief that I the masculue half of humanity regards Mr. Sassoon's Austerlitz (Mr. Sassoon) with especial favour the prevalence of The Norddentscher Lloyd 8. 8. Compt. bright colours in woman's dress; the soft, Mr Coll's Chimera (Mr Nichol) 10st, ny's steamship Neckar, with the GER | brilliant, yellows and reds, and the gleam MAN MAIL of 20th Jan., left Single of jewels. He even thought that men Mr A'gyll's Vampire (Majer Hannay)

cheerful to look upon.

but for the present the hope lies in the fasteet on record by 22 sees. improvement of boilers. If it shall be found possible to use in the ocean steam vessels each boilers as are put into the torpedo beats that are built at Chiswick, Mr Roberts can see little reason to doubt that the Atlantic liners will be able to attain at least as high a rate of speed as those The Glen Lite steamship Glenogle, from naval flyers which can steam at nearly Glasgow and London, left Singaporeon | thirty miles an hour. Then will the pro-Feb. 17, and may be expected here on | blom be solved.

HONGKONG RACES 1891.

Stewards .- His Excellency Sir G. . William Des Vooux, K.C.M.G.; His Excellency Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, V.C., K.C.B. His Excellency Major - General Digby Barker, C.B.; Commodo e Church, R.N. Colonel Storer, R.E.; Colonel Chater, 91st Regt.; the Hon. P. Ryrie; the Hon. J. J. Keswick; the Hon. C. P. Chater; G. S. Coxon, Esq.; W. H. Forbes, Esq.; J. Grant, Esq ; R. M. Gray, Esq.; M. Grote, Esq.; H. Hoppins, Esq.; E. L. Woodin,

Hon. Treasurer .- E. W. Rutter, Esq. Clerk of the Course. - E. H. Gore-Booth

FIRST DAY, FRERUARY 19TH. The annual race meeting began to-day low. There were twenty or thirty fewer entries this year, due to the disappearance of Mr Humphreys' large stable and the contraction of others. The number of owners, some by gone years, but the interest shown in the events was as keen as ever. Success was not very equally divided, no less than six wins falling to John Peel's popular stable. The only other big stable, Mr Fraser Smith's Glenisla (Mr Colling-Buxey's, was unfortunate, failing to secure a first place. The three remaining wents were won by Mr Quintet, Mr Boyd Mr Barker's Clarewood (Mr Barker) 11st. and Mr Sassoon. The only surprise was the Ashley Cup, which was taken from the favourites by Duncraggan. times were very good, the Derby's being the quickest on record by 23 seconds

The felds were large, with the exception of three races. The events were kept well up to time. Hon C. P. Chater acted as judge, Mr W. H. Forbes as timekeeper, Mr Gore Booth as starter and Messra Hoppius and Grote presided at the weighing scales.

Of thanders, Mr Hough-but 5 wins and Measrs Master, Sassoon, Boyd and Green one each.

The Police arrangements were efficiently carried out by a body of men under Acting Hennessy and Hanson,

The WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES, for China ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5 with \$100 added. Half-a-mile. Mr John Peel's Opposition (Mr Hough) Mr Sid's Waldo (Mr Sampson) 11st, 11b. Mr Sassoon's Unicorn (Mr Hutchings)

11st. 11b. ...3 Mr Frager Smith's Chaser (Mr Maclean) Opposition led at the start. At the village Chaur came up with him, but he could not maintain his place and fell gradually behind. Waldo took the second place,

The Ashley Cor, presented by D. R. Sasa soon, Jaq.; for China ponies; entrance

\$5 | weight for inches. One mile. Me Boyd's Dunoraggan (Mr Boyd) 10st. Mr Chartrey's Autocrat (Mr. Master) 10st. 6lts ... 0 Mr Buxey's Shipjack (Mr Reynell) 11st 0 Mr. Bursy's Grayling (Mr Sampson) 11st.

Mr Sid's Susewind (Mr Maclean) 11st. 11b ... 0 Susenind started off, followed at some distance by Skipjack, and overhalf the course these two made the running. By the time the Rock was reached Susewind was bursted. Skipjack kept in front till the Village was passed, when John Peel's Merry Xmeis was let out and came to the front. Behind

Mr Sehrof's Coquette (Mr. Hart Buck)

each, half forfeit if declared on or before day of closing entries, with \$100 added for let pony, and \$50 for 2nd; for all China ponies bond fide griffins at date of entry (Saturday, 17th January, 1891); first pony, 70 per cent.; second, 20 per cent; third, 10 per cent; weight 10st. 10lb). One mile and a half.

The M. M. Co,'s steamer Salazie, with the Increasing the Speedor Steamers. - From Mr Buxey declared to win with Royalty. Romance collared him, followed by Jujube French mill of Jan. 23rd left Singapere Queenstown to New York in one hundred Notwithstanding the large field a fairly and Kubla Khan. Coming up the Straight on thursday, February 19th, at 20 a.m., bours; or, say, four clear days. Shall we good start was casily-ffected. Crown Dia- Romanes increased the lead and won casily. and may be expected here on or about ever realize this dream? Mr Morley R. mond and Gallant made the running at first, Between Jujube and Kubla Khan there was more into the pursuits and amusements of gravely remarked: 'Oh, Mr Asian, there Thursday February 21. This packet berts, as appears by his interesting intro- but, in the second round they fell to the a close race for the second place, the former the sterner it is not to be wondered at that goes to morrow's bazaar money. I shall brings teplics to letters dispatched from ductory which on the subject of The Great roor and their places were taken by John winning by a head -Time 21. Steamship Lines' in Murray's Magazine, Peel's two ponies Ardent and Merry Thought, clearly thinks it feasible, and even points the former having a good lead. Before the out how it will be done. There is just the village was reached it was evident that the p saibility that another Watt of Stophenson raco was John Peel's Buxey's two ponies may arise to show us how to avoid the made astrong effort to catch up Ardent, but enormous loss in f.iction in overcoming failed, the latter winning easily by-two of the vis inertiae of our vast marino engines; three lengths. -Time, 3min, 12 heers. -the

> The FOOCHOW CUP, value \$200; presented by the Foochow community, for China ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Two miles.

Mr John Peel's Vegrant (Mr Hough) Mr Buxey's Arabic (Mr Sampson) 10st. Mr Nautai's Blue Ruin (Mr Master) 11st. Mr Jones's Llygodan (Mr Orlebar) 11st. Mr Trust's Haphazani (Mr Reynell) 11st. Mr John Peel's Leap Year (Mr Machado) Mr Yoma's Cobweb (Mr Hutchings) 11st.

Mr. Frisor Smith's Senator (Mr Maclean) 10at, 12lbs...0 Arabic took the kad and kept it till the Rock was reached on the second round, when Vogrant shot shead and won easily. -Time, 4.261.

The VALLEY STAKES, sweepstakes of \$5 griffins of this smaon, 1890-91, only; weight for inches. Three quarters of a Mr. John Peel's Blue Bonnet (Mr Hough)

Mr Darius' Mercury (Mr Sampson) 10st. 12 bs. ... 2 Deduct Claim under Mr Buxey's Stiding Scale (Mr Pond) 11st. Mr Cruickshank's Ewy Blas (Mr Cruickshank) 11st. 4lbs. ...0 Mr Mour & Redfern (Mr Hutchings) 11st 11b. ...0 Mr Quintot's Romance (Mr Green) 11st. Mr Twain's Toison d'or (Mr Hart Buck) 10st, 12lbs. Mr Lea's Redskin (Mr Reynell) 10st. Mr Fraser Smith's Glenco (Mr Maclean) Mr Jones's Ysquffarnog (Mr Orlebar) wood) 11st. 4lbs. ...0 Capt. R. J. Gardiner's Patlander (Master) list lib.

This was another win for John Peal Stiling Scale first left the crowd of ponie and kept in front till near the Village. when the favourite Blue Bonnet passed him and won easily. Near the finish Mercury came forward in good style and took second place. Time, 1.353

The Lustrano Cur, presented by the men bers of the Club Lucitano, for China ponies; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting, 19bs, extra ; sub scription griffins of this season, 1890-91, allowed olbs.; entrance \$10; smould pony to receive half the entrance money. One mile and a quarter. Mr Sassoon's Zephyr (Mr Sassoon) 11st.

Mr Buxey's Homeguard (Mr Pond) Het. Mr John Pael's Emerald (Mr Hough) 10st. 91b 3 Mr Yoma's Nero (Mr Boyd) 11st. 11bs....0 This was a race between Zephyr and Homegrard. The other two were not in it. Zephyr and Homeguard raced neck and neck once round. Going down towards the Village Sassoon drew away and gradually increased his lead. Homemurd tried to make up on the Straight, but could not reach Z phyr who came in an easy first. Time, 2.41.

The Canton Cup, for China ponies bond fidegriffins at date of entry (17th January, 1891) ; weight for inches ; winners at this mesting 71bs. extra ; entrance \$5. One Mr John Peel's Hilarity (Mr Hough) Mr Awa's Phoenix (Mr Groen) 10at. 121bs ... 2 Mr Fraser Smith's Chreasorst (Mr Colling. wood) 10st. 12lba ... 8

An easy win for Hilarity. Phoenin raced with the winner over half the course, but fell behind before the Black Rock was renched. -Time, 2.131.

China punies ; weight for inches ; entrance \$15; second pony to receive 50 per cent.; third pony, 2p per cent. of ontrance money. One mile and a balf. Mr. John Peel's Vagrant (Mr Hough) Mr Chantrey's Autocrat (Mr Master) 11st. Mr Sid's Suscicina (Mr Maclean) 11st.

Mr Twain's Ascold (Mr Colors wood) 11st. Another win for John Peols Susewind ran off at the start and kept a long lead till near the Rock on the last round. Vagrant and Autocrat who had been running togs-

The Compradons' Cup; for all subscription weight for inches; winner of Valley Stakes, 5lbs. extra ; entrance \$5 ; second pony to receive half the entrance money.

-Time, 3.17.

Mr Quinter's Romence (Mr Green) 11st. Major Hannay's Jujube (Misjor Hannay) Mr Heinrich's Kubla Khan (Mr Samp-Mr Hackin's High Jinks (Mr Hutchiogs) 11st 11b.... Mr John Peel's Tom Tit (Mr Machado) Mr Barker's Clarewood (Mr Barker) 11st. 13lbs...0 Mr John Peel's Go Bong (Mr Master) Hough) 10st. 10lbs...0 | Capt. R. J. Gardiner's Coc a Nut (Mr Cruickshank) 11st. 4lbs. .. 0 son) 10at, 10lbs, ... 0 Mr Fraser Smith's Giencos (Mr Maclean) 10st 121bs. 0 70st. 13|bs. 0 Mr Jay's Renner (Mr Collingwood) 10st. 100bs...0 Mr Jones's Yspffarnog (Mr Reynell) 10st 13lbs ... 0 Mr Loa's Redskin (Mr Boyd) 10st 12lbs0 Go Bang made the running at first and lean 10st. 10lbs. 0 | kept the lead till near the Village, which

TIPS FOR TO-MORROW. Scurry Stakes-Merry Thought. Exchange Plate-Zephyr. German Cup -

Professional Cup -Vagrant. Parago Cup-Galla t. Jookey Cap -

Blue Bonnet.

Kunizefahra't. Flay away Stakes-Brokers' Cop-Autocrat.

Welter Plate-

Ascabl.

10st, 12tbs...0 OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED,

The following is the report for presentation to the thereholders at the twentysecond ordinary meeting, to be held at the Company's Offices at half-past two o'clock 1891 :-

The Directors have the pleasure to preeach; with \$100 added; for subscription sent Statement of the Company's Ac-

1889.—The balance at Credit of Working Account, as per last Report, Doduct Dividend of \$3 por Share. paid in 1890 \$60.000.00

1889. Policies paid Deduct Return premia &c., do paid

Balance of Profit \$141,532.01 of \$3 per Share, (making \$6 for the year); \$33.032.01 as Bonus on contributions of premia by Shareholders; and the balance, stand may be divided into those who come

\$48,500, to Reserve Fund, thereby increas-10st. 12lbs. ... ing the same to \$743,500, which it is hoped may be approved. 1690 .- The Balance at Credit of Working in when they see one, and are amongst the Account on the 31st December was most regular paironesses of the meetings at \$231,876.04, and it is proposed to pay the | which generally some relation or intimate | ing to whip you, my son? Little Johnnyusual First Dividend of \$3 per Share. The friend has something running. They like

> without greatly exceeding the average. Directors.-During the year Mr B. Layton resigned and the Directors filled his place by inviting to the Board Mr. H. P. Tennanti whose lamented decease at a later period created a vacancy which still remains. Hon. P. Ryrie and Mr Dalrymple retire by rotation and offer themselves for re-

Auditors.-Mosers J. H. Cox and R. Lyall have addited the Accounts now presonted and offer themselves for re-election.

P. Rinis, Chairman. DALANCE HHEET, SIST DECEMBER, 1890. Ospital Account Accounts Payable : Final Dividend for 1889 ... Bonus for 1889 and Sundries Working Account 1890 : Balance at Credit

Cash at Bankers Fixed Deposits at Banks: Invested in Bonds: Chinese Imp. Govt. Loans O. & E. Loans on Mortgage in On Proporties in Hongkong On Properties in Shanghai Hongkong Fire Ins. Co.'s Shares. Furniture Account : Office Funiture, &c. Accounts Receivable Premia due from Agencies. Interest due on Deposits

The HONGKONG CLUB CUP, presented, for WORKING ACCOUNT, 1ST JANUARY TO SIST DECEMBER, 1890. Dr. To Charges Account: Rent, Salaries, Legal and Surveyors' Fees, Stamps, Stationery, &c., &c. ... 8 Directors' and Auditors' Fees To Commission Account: Agents' Commissions To Fire Brigades Account: Contributions at Agencies To Losses Account 1890: Claims according to this year a Amount written Off:

and Investment, &co.

Farniture Account To Balance By Premium Account: Not amount of Premis colleoted ... \$ 246,131.72 Less Re-insur-7,174,25 \$ 238,957,45 By Interest Account: Amount at Credit, including Interest due on Deposits and Investments, &c. ... By Exchange Account: Amount at Oredit ... By Transfer Fee Account: Amount at Oredit

E. & O. E. Jis. B. Coughtere, Secretary. We have examined the above Statement with the Books and Securities at the Head Office, and here found the same to be cor-

R. LYALL, Anditors. Hongkoog, 17th February, 1891.

He who never changed any of his opinions never corrected any of his mistakes. No wan would owe anything if he could pay his debts by giving his notes .-- N. O.

LADIES ON THE RACECOURSE. (Calculta Asian.)

the number of its representatives who grace is ver bet again. She did though - and our race meetings with their presence is on with that montal mutability which is supthe increase, and we feel sure that there is posed to be an exclusively feminine charup one who begradges them their share in actoristic-over the next race, when she the sport. To most men it affords consider- luckily pulled off a five to one chance, which able pleasure to be able to pass a portion of exalted her into the seventh heaven of dothe intervals between the rac's in their light. Before the season was over she company, when a few moments spent in asked her husband to take her to Lucknow conversation or mild flirtation serve to dis- to see the Civil Service Cup run for, and tract the mind from the consideration of on her return informed us that she had handicaps and olds which Lord Beacons- experienced real good times and talked of field declared to be the staple subject of nothing but the dear ponies for weeks thought and speech of those addicted to the afterwards. great game. Then, again, if one is untrammelled with the cares of ownership, what is are the dames and damozels who, like the pleasanter than to leaf round the paddock Pharisees of old, come forth to be seen of with a charming and well-turned-out female | men. How they and their heighbours are companion who, though not infrequently dressed is one of their chief considerations, knowing as much about the points of a and were it not fashionable to put in an home as one elf, accepts one's opinion with appearance at the races they would be cona pleasing deforence, which is soothing to spicuous by their absence. Their reason masculing vanity, and leads one to think for attending is much the same as that that every word from one's lips is a pearl of which a writer in Funch once gave for our wisdom. Even mysogynists will admit that | mardens going to church, when he libellousfrom a pictorial point of view, lidies are an acquisition on the turf, and that the blend-. ing of the gayer colors of their apparel with the more sober worn by the 'lords of creation'-save t's mark-please the eye and add considerably to the general scenic In India it is probable that the proper- finery and as a rendezvous at which to

tion of ladies who are seen on race days meet their friends and indulge in a pleasant is greater than at home, and if statistics gossip, but the racing itself bores them, were prepared of the number of the fair sex and they feel not an iota of interest in the p.m., on Friday, the 27th February, present on the Cup days at the principal stirring scenes enacted before them. Ge-Society reunions at home, such as Ascut herally they regard the afternoon in the and Goodwood; and of the Viceroy's Cup light of a society function and are glad day here, the comparative balance would when it is ever, Their onthusiam is not most likely be in favour of our Eastern Capital : albeit we have no racing women, sympathy with what is going on they have like Her Grace of Montrose and others who | of course no inducement to indulge in any might be included in the same category. | form of gambling, however trifling its na-Very seldom, indeed, do we see a lady's ture. name figuring as that of the owner of a mechorse, unless the event is of the Gymkhana type in which some favorite hack with a supposed turn to speed is afforded a chance of showing his paces, and the only exception we can recall is that of the kind-hearted lady who owned Gazelle. The handsome little country-bred, it will be remembered, amongst other successes, secured the Pony Handicap Chase at Tollygunge last season, and her mistress, who held quite a leve after her victory, was so attached to her pet that she could not bear The Directors propose to apportion this thought of parting from her, and acsum as follows : \$60,000 as a Final Dividend cordingly the little mare accompanied her Bazur.

As a body, the women folk we see on the

to see and those who come to be seen. The former division includes the intelligent lovers of horsefles's who know what a horse Losses were rather more numerous last year | racing for itself, and being usually good than for the preceding two or three years, horsewomen themselves can tell a good but it is hoped the Policies may run off piece of riding from a bad. They remember very fairly any previous form they have witnessed, and if they speculate at all do so very judiciously, and in small (though, for that matter, most ladies in this country do not bet at all, and amongst those that do we seldom or never hear of any plunging otherwise than in the most modest fashion). With them must be grouped another class of feminine spectators, and it is the one that contributes the largest quota to the total. We refer to those who, like the genuine sportswomen we have already mentioned, come to see, but whose interest is less deep, and who would not regard it as a bardahip if circumstances compelled them to stop away. They are mere superficial observers who enjoy the spectacle and the ... 8 400,000.00 excitement ovoked by struggles between 748,500.00 herse and man, but have no desire to go deeper into things. It is all the same to 60,000.00 them whether the horses competing are the 41,819.06 best of their class in the country or a lot of trappers taken fresh from the shafts. Nevertheless, it is umongst these super-231,876.04 final spectators that we find the greatest number of lady bettors, and to a woman al-\$1,482,195.10 most, they prefer that their emorts should make their investments through the totalisator in preference to the money being put 24,647.64 on at the lists. Whether the calculation of pound, troy; platinum is worth 8130, and the odds is beyond them, or whether they silver about \$12. Nickel is quoted at 60 like the additional uncertainty entailed by cents per pound, and aluminium at 89. If the impossibility of anticipating what divi- some of the above figures seem high, what dend the machine will declare, we know will-we say when told that barium is quoted not, but that they counider it the nicer at \$975 per truy pound and calcium at channel for speculation cannot be denied. \$1,800. But cerium is more sortly still be-They bet most erratically and often with lug seldom sold for less than \$200 per wonderful luck. It is cometimes simply ounce. Ohromium brings the same and phenomenal. Of course, they lose a good didymium but a fraction less, being worth deal, but frequently their selections-pure \$1,900 per pound in any market in the guesses all of them-prove wonderfully cor. | world. It is said that the combined wealth

> 47.239.86 ment rather than in women's luck, and por ounce. en passant we would advise our male \$1,482,195.10 readers when entrusted with a lady's commission to remember that it is always advisable to execute it literally. It does not do to pretend that it has been done, when it has not. Of course it is pleasant to be able to hand back her stake to a fair puntress after the race is over, and tell her that you, thinking her choice had no chance, had taken the liberty of laying the odds yourself; but if the despised candidate happens to do the trick, the reverse is the case, and there is not much satisfaction to be derived from having to pay the wager from your own pocket, and being also comelled to offer congratulations on a success which you believed impossible and which demonstrated how much your judgment was at fault. The way they choose their horse is another interesting study. They 'go in blind' with a vengeance. It is no pacommon thing to hear one say : 'O, look at the protty borse ! See how he holds bis head. That is the horse I want. Then she consults her programmo to learn his name. Sometimes she picks out a horse because his jockey's colors are pretty; at others she fancion one because of his name. She has a hundred different ways, and when she has decided upon him, all the arguments that man can muster won't change her. Perhaps that is the reason for her luck. Mon will back his judgment rather than his luck. He will get frightened away by odds. But the odds are never so big that a woman does not think her horse will

win. She is guided by sentiment. Many of them, we are disposed to think. 887.61 had never visited a race course before coming out to this country, and were either brought up in Puritanical homes where a race meeting and a sink of iniquity were regarded as interchangeable terms or were nurtured by parents who wrongly considered anything connected with the turf as bordering on the disreputable, and we remember being much amused once by a remark made by a clergyman's daughter, on the occasion of her making and losing her first bet. For a long time she would not go to the moes on any consideration. and was always a bit annoyed with her husband for going in the face of her refutal THERMOMETER-9 A.M. to accompany him. At length, however, she was induced to change her mind, and seemed to enjoy herself considerably, and soon entering into the apiril of things wished to have her mite on the inne of one of the events. - Before doing so she paid us the compliment of consulting us, and wo

give her a tip, which unfortunately did no. c me off; our selection being a good With the softer sox outering more and second. As the horses passed the post she

The apposites of those we have discussed

To church, to church, the pars n cries. To church each fair one goes, The old go there to close their eyes, the

young to eye their clo(th)es." The lawn they like as an agreeable promonade whereupon to display their awakened, and as they have little or no

Lange Silver Tips are still used for Canes. Imbrellas, and Hotel-waiters - Youkers'

Tus man who knows it all is bad enough: but he isn't a circumstance to the man who knew it all beforehand, and who says afterward that he told you so .- Somerville Jour-

I look after the great responsibilities my wife looks after the little ones. 'That's strange. I thought the little ones were the greatest of all responsibilities."-Harper's

Tue following written definition of the word bachelor was handed in by a Fifthgrade boy : 'A bachelor is a man who has no wife, nor wants no wife, nor can't get

no wife. - Luling Signal. Why Ho Did It, -Old Brown (bringing out the strap |- Do you know why I'm go-Cause I'm small. If I was as big as that man next door who called you a list lest night

you wouldn't put a fluger on me. - Puck, An Anti-Climax. - Lady Lecturer on Woman's Rights (growing warm)-Where would man be if it had not been for woman? (After a pause, and looking around the hall.) I repeat, where would man be if it had not been for woman? Voice from the Gallery-Ee'd be in Paradise, ma'am, -Jester

Unselfish, One of our exchanges prints story of a small boy who had implicit confidence in Santa Claus and was eagerly looking forward to Christmas. One morning, shortly before the happy holiday, his mother found him in the parker, where the are had gone out, with his mouth at the open door of the stove. Pleathe, Thanta Chuth, he was saying, bring me a wagon, a pair of big wubber bootth, thome candy. a thiate and manima a new dweth. Why Tommy, said his mother, Santa Claus cannot afford to bring you all those things. You should not ask for so much, it is selfsh: Tommy's face clouded for a minute : then it grew bright with an idea, and returning to the stove he called up the chimmey : Pleathe, Thanta Clauth, you needn't unind the dweth.

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* Flagilation Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K. C. B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief.

mer- H. H. M. Ships' toppage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Gun.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8000	22	8000	Captain Fedotoff	Japan Nagasaki
Algori	Russian gunboat	800			Captain Parenego	Hongkong
Alexandrine	German cruiser	3200	-		Captain Schmider	Yokohama
Alliance	U. S. gunboat	615	-		Captain H. C. Taylor Captain A. Soler	Op a cruise
Aragou	Spanish cruiser	1908	0 2 2 C 0	-	Commander Journet	Bhanghai
Alipic	French gunbout	470		450	Captain Bagard	Saigon
Chanseur	French despatch-vessel	400		1 A 1 A	Captain Aicher	Shanghai
[his	German gunbost	489	100		Capt. de Jonquières	Manila
Inconstant	French gunbont	800			Captain Röttger	Hongkong
Leipzig	German cruiser	8800 485		425	Captain Neny	Touron
Latin	French gunbest	1900	7	1170	Commander Dyer	Kobe
Marion	U. S. corvette	1370	6	1470	Lieut. Com. M. L. Johnson	Nagasaki
Monosacy	U.B. aloop	2400	12	1150	Capt. Cropwell	Yokohama
Omaha	U.S. corvette	420	B	E00	Lieut. Com. Craig	Nagasaki
Palon -	U.S. gunboai	640		420	Lient Commander Lapled	Halphong
Pluylar	French gunbost	640			Cantaln J. R. Santa Barbara	Hongkong
Rlo Limi	Portuguese gunboat Russian oraiser	900	1	1000	Commander Kasherininon	Shanghai
Sivooton	German cruiser	2100	47 1	100	Captain Herbing	Hongkong
Sophie	corvette	10	4 Asign	-	Commander John McGowan	Kobe Macao
Swatara	Portuguese gunboat	500	3	100	Lieut. Com. C. R. Caminha	Manila «
Tejo	French cruiser	4500			Capt. Luciniere	Haiphong
Triomphante -	French cruiser	1000	-	-	Captain Mayet	Shangbai
Vilare	Pierca ganbost	480	1 A.	425	Commander Constolla	Shanghai
	Italian gunboat	346	-	3 / 2 /	Captain Roych	Hongwong.
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> nagasaki, In Port on January 31, 1691 G. H. Wappaus Brit. bqs. Kozaki Maru Japan, bqo.

YOKOHAMA. In port on January 30, 1891. Brit. bgc. Diana Amer. John Amer, an Brit. Milverton Pythomene Brit. Thomas Dans Amer. ah. Wm. H. ConnerAnier. sh HIOGO, In port on January 31, 1891.

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MANILA. In Port on January 20, 1891. MERCHANT STEAMERS. str. Liverpool Lier sir. uncertain MERCHANT SAILING VERSELS.

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BANGKOK. In port on January 28, 1891 MESCHART BAILING VESSELS. Charon WattanaSiam, bge Brit, bge, Herradura Amer. bue. Hokien Siam. Ing. Norw. bge. Honor Siam. bge. Simeon Norw. bgs.

KOH-SI-CHEONG. In Port on January 28, 1891. MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. AgostinoRombo Ital. bqs. Velociforo talian bgs.

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